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For President,  
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,  
Of the United States.  
Republican State Ticket.  
For Secretary of State,  
CHARLES KINNEY, of Seloto Co.  
For Judge of the Supreme Court,  
MARSHALL J. WILLIAMS, of Fayette Co.  
For Food and Dairy Commissioner,  
JOSEPH E. BLACKBURN, of Belmont Co.  
For Member Board of Public Works,  
FRANK A. HUFFMAN, of Van Wert Co.

It is generally understood that Mr.  
I. R. Rose, of this county, will be ap-  
pointed to a place on the Board of Pen-  
itentiary Managers, the salary of which  
office is \$1,000 per year. It is stated  
that M. M. Rose, member of the Board  
of Pardons, will resign.

SINCE the news of Hon. T. F. Davis'  
candidacy for Congress has become  
generally known throughout the dis-  
trict Mr. Davis has received numerous  
expressions of good will from politi-  
cians in other counties and considers  
the outlook for his nomination very  
bright.

#### THE CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP.

Washington County Will Present a Can-  
didate to Succeed Judge Clark.

The term of Circuit Judge Clark, of  
Ross county, expires this year and the  
members of the Washington County  
Bar have paid Judge Hiram L. Sibley a  
handsome compliment by announcing  
his name as a candidate for the Repub-  
lican nomination.

Following is the announcement, with  
the signatures of the gentleman mak-  
ing it:

Whereas, at the ensuing election in  
November there is to be elected a Judge  
of the Circuit Court for the Fourth Ju-  
dicial District of Ohio, and

Whereas, the Bar of Washington  
County, having a long and intimate ac-  
quaintance with Honorable Hiram L.  
Sibley, gained from more than thirteen  
years practice before him as Judge of  
the Common Pleas Court, and from  
many years of association with him  
prior thereto as a member of the Bar,  
recognize in him an able lawyer, a pro-  
found student, of all branches of learn-  
ing related to the Law, a thinker of  
great analytical power and accurate  
logic, an upright, just and pains-taking  
Judge, whose opinions have commanded  
the respect of other Courts.

Therefore we, the undersigned, mem-  
bers of the Bar of Washington County,  
without distinction of party affiliations  
and desirous that our Court shall con-  
tinue to maintain its present high  
standing, hereby most earnestly re-  
quest Hon. Hiram L. Sibley to allow  
his name to be presented as a candi-  
date for nomination as Circuit Judge  
before the coming Republican Conven-  
tion of the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Ohio

R. L. Nye.  
W. G. Way.  
H. E. Kraft.  
John A. Hamilton.  
Wm. H. Leeper.  
Thomas Ewart.  
L. W. Ellenwood.  
B. E. Guyton.  
D. R. Rood.  
J. C. Preston.  
Ralph Starling.  
J. C. Hathaway.  
J. C. Brennan.  
A. D. Follet.  
L. W. Chamberlain.  
Jabez Belford.  
John H. Riley.  
A. L. Smith.  
M. D. Follett.  
F. J. Cutter.

Judge Sibley's acquiescence in the  
movement is expressed as follows:  
Gentleman:

In view of the foregoing request, I  
allow my name to go out as a candidate  
for Circuit Judge. Until this action  
was volunteered and taken, my feeling  
was against it and I would not have  
ented the fight.

With grateful regards for the very  
generous expressions of the request, I  
remain,  
HIRAM L. SIBLEY.

Major Jewett, of Athens county is  
also understood to be a candidate, and  
while the Marietta bar has a friendly  
feeling for the Major they will of  
course stand unanimously for the home  
man.

#### THE SOONER THE BETTER.

Let Us Have An Electric Street Railway.

EDITOR LEADER:  
If the people of our city are agreed  
upon any one thing, it is in favor of a  
better street car service. The question  
of whether the horse-cars pay does not  
figure; that is something that concerns  
those who propose to put money in an  
up-to-date modern street railway, and  
if they are willing to risk it our City  
Council ought certainly to give them an  
opportunity, and that without delay.

The issue of the Register of the 20th  
instant was especially interesting to  
most, if not all, of our citizens, because  
of the information given on this sub-  
ject. It is apparent that the capitalists  
and those representing money have  
strong faith in the future of Marietta.  
The people were delighted to learn  
that there was competition, and that  
more than one syndicate was in the  
market—that two bids were received.  
These bids interest all classes, but

more especially the "working people"  
and the school children and their par-  
ents. And we are to be congratulated  
on the fact that we are all working  
people, but do you ask why the classes  
mentioned are especially interested?  
The answer is, because our neighbors,  
Messrs. Gracey, Kaiser & Moore, are  
liberal enough to carry the working  
people to and from work, and the  
school children to and from school on  
half fares. This generosity is appre-  
ciated, and is being freely discussed.  
Should the acceptance of this proposi-  
tion be delayed, great disappointment  
will certainly follow.

What excuse can possibly be given  
for any delay whatever? Certainly it  
cannot be found in the suggestion that  
the line adopted should cover Front  
street. The business parts of Front  
and Greene streets are now covered by  
a streetcar line. The company owning  
it have had the right since September,  
1890, to put on electric cars. One of  
our bidders, Mr. Davis, says he "has  
contracted to purchase" that line. Shall  
Mr. Davis, or the present owners, be  
allowed to play the dog in the man-  
ager, and neither put on electricity, nor  
allow others to do so, simply because  
we do not wish to give up our magnif-  
icent electric light plant? Did not this  
same gentleman say to us last year  
that if we would sell our light plant,  
and employ him to furnish us light at  
his price for both, that he would retire  
the mule and give us electric cars?

Shall any sentiment in favor of the  
"old company" so called, because it  
was first in the field and would lose  
heavily if the bid of our liberal neigh-  
bors should be accepted, be allowed to  
delay this improvement? It is absurd  
to entertain such an idea for a moment.  
The new company, or the gentlemen  
named, do not make their bid on con-  
dition that the old line shall be abol-  
ished. Do they not take greater  
chances of losing than the old line  
people? It is well known that the  
former owners of the old line were  
able to give us a modern street rail-  
way if they wished; but they said, "No,  
keep your light plant and the mule, or  
give us the light plant, and we will  
emancipate the mule."

We venture the suggestion that  
Front street will take care of itself,  
that if the best and most liberal bid is  
promptly received and acted upon, the  
buzz of the trolley line over Route No.  
2 will soon frighten the street-car  
horses and mules out of town, where  
they may be preserved as relics of an-  
other and less prosperous age; and the  
old line people will then either adopt  
modern methods, or leave the field to  
someone who will.

Give us Route No. 2, and leave the  
other to take care of itself. J. H.

[The foregoing was written for the  
Register, with the idea that it was  
broad enough to give all sides of pub-  
lic questions a hearing. One of the  
editors took it, and after reading it,  
said, "We will insert and comment on  
it." To this there was no objection.  
The Register did not use it as was ex-  
pected. Others, regardless of personal  
or local interests, are broad and gener-  
ous enough to indulge us.

If any newspaper or individual sup-  
poses that the city of Marietta was fin-  
ished when the available space on  
Front street was occupied, it is hoped  
that the error may ere long be made  
apparent.

The lines written on this subject  
were inspired by the interest that my  
neighbors who walk long distances  
seem to be taking in the matter, and  
without any consultation or interest in  
common with any bidder or proposed  
stockholder.] JOHN H. RILEY.

Try Superior Canned Corn and "Ye  
Olden Time Hominy." Both the very  
finest.

#### NO INDIAN WARS IN CANADA.

The United States Contrasted with the  
Dominion—A British View.

The great fact stands boldly forth  
that Canada has never fought the In-  
dians, and she will not begin to do so  
now. Never has Canada had an Indian  
war; an Indian massacre is unknown in  
the annals of her history. She is too  
poor to seek glory by slaughtering the  
natives born of her soil and too proud  
to defame her character or stain her  
escutcheon. Contrast with this, says  
the Westminster Review, the policy of  
the United States, that is nearly al-  
ways fighting its red men. Indian wars  
are very expensive matters to deal  
with. The small episode of last year,  
beginning with the Messiah craze and  
ending with the tragedy at Pine Ridge  
agency, covering but a few weeks, cost  
the United States government \$2,000,-  
000, besides the lives lost, and in ad-  
dition unsettled the natives through-  
out the country. It is to the credit of  
the Canadian Indians that, although  
sorely tempted, the Messiah craze had  
no charms for them. There was in  
Canada, it is true, Riel's last rebellion,  
that cost Canada \$7,000,000 and the  
lives of some of her noblest citizens.  
But that was not an Indian uprising.  
Nevertheless, it taught both the white  
men and the red men a lesson. It  
taught Canada that it would be cheaper  
to ration all the Indian tribes than to  
have another rebellion; and it taught  
the Indian the prowess of the authori-  
ties, and this was emphasized by the  
trips given the Indian chiefs to On-  
tario, where they beheld tokens of the  
power, wealth and glory of the white  
men.

The U. S. Gov't Reports  
show Royal Baking Powder  
superior to all others.

#### CORRUPT PRACTICES.

Senator Garfield's Bill to Purify Elections.

We are under obligations to Senator  
Charles S. Dana for a copy of the Gar-  
field Bill to prevent corrupt practices  
at elections, which was enacted into  
law last week. The senate, upon mo-  
tion of Mr. Garfield, concurred in the  
house amendments by a vote of 23 to 4.  
The bill was amended in the house so  
as to provide that it shall go into ef-  
fect at once. Some of the senators  
manifested a desire to have the date of  
going into effect after the April elec-  
tion, but the consensus of opinion was  
that the bill should not be changed.

The law as it now is provides that  
no candidate for office shall expend in  
order to secure or aid in his nomina-  
tion or election in excess of a sum to  
be computed on a basis as follows: One  
hundred dollars for 5000 voters, \$1.50  
for every 100 voters over 5000 and under  
25,000, and \$1 for each 100 voters over  
25,000 and under 50,000. Any expendi-  
ture in excess of such amount is unlaw-  
ful and makes void the election of such  
violation.

Section 2 prescribes the manner in  
which the number of votes is to be as-  
certained.

Section 3 provides that any person  
who is a candidate for nomination  
must file within ten days after the caucus  
or nomination convention with the  
clerk of the county and the board to  
issue certificates, a statement of all  
sums contributed, disbursed, expended  
or promised by him and make affidavit  
to the truth of such statement.

Section 4 provides that every candi-  
date after the election is held shall file  
similar statements.

Section 5 provides a penalty of \$1000  
for failure to comply with the pro-  
visions of the act, action to be brought  
by the attorney general or prosecuting  
attorney in the county of the candi-  
date's residence, fines to go into the  
school fund.

Section 6 provides that the board  
shall not issue a certificate of election  
until such statements have been filed.

Section 7 provides that at any time  
during the occupancy of office of any  
official, excepting members of the gen-  
eral assembly or congress, an elector  
may file charges with the attorney  
general setting forth that an official  
has violated any of the provisions of  
this act. The charges must be accom-  
panied by a bond of \$1000.

Section 8 provides that within 10  
days after the filing of such charges  
the attorney general shall begin an  
action against the accused.

Section 9 provides that if the attor-  
ney general so fails to act the elector  
may bring suit himself.

Section 10 provides that such cases  
shall be given preference on court  
dockets.

Section 11 provides that if a single  
charge is sustained the office shall be  
declared vacant and filled according to  
existing laws.

Section 12 provides that persons  
must testify in such cases, but any in-  
criminating testimony shall not be  
used against them in any subsequent  
civil or criminal proceedings.

Section 13 provides that contests for  
seats in the general assembly shall be  
conducted as heretofore.

Section 14 provides that any two or  
more persons who shall collect or dis-  
burse money for political purposes  
shall be considered a political com-  
mittee.

Section 15 provides that such com-  
mittee shall at all times have a treas-  
urer, who shall keep an account of the  
money received and expended.

Section 17 provides that any persons  
receiving or expending money for such  
committee shall make a report of the  
same to the treasurer.

Section 18 provides that within 20  
days after an election the treasurer  
shall file with the county clerk a sworn  
statement of the money collected, ex-  
pended or promised.

Section 19 provides that no claim  
shall be paid unless presented within  
eight days after the caucus primary,  
or election, as the case may be. Any  
claims presented later must be submit-  
ted to the common pleas court and al-  
lowed if there is sufficient evidence  
that the delay in presenting the claim  
could not be avoided.

Section 20 provides that all records  
of the treasurers must be kept for a  
period of four years.

Section 21 provides that any treas-  
urer failing to comply with the pro-  
visions of the act shall be guilty of a  
misdemeanor and subject to a fine of  
from \$50 to \$500.

Section 22 provides that treasurers  
neglecting to keep such accounts, mul-  
tating the same or failing to file them,  
is guilty of a misdemeanor and subject  
to imprisonment for from two to six  
months.

Section 23 provides that it shall be  
unlawful to pay the expenses of any  
person securing naturalization papers.  
A violation of this section is made pun-  
ishable by fine of from \$100 to \$500 and  
imprisonment from 6 to 30 days.

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fluence in giving strength and tone to  
the organs. If you have Loss of Appete-  
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Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Exci-  
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from its use.

My wife was bedridden for sixteen months,  
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LATOR for two months, is getting well.—  
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Choice Stock of Useful and Ornamental  
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Prompt and Personal Attention given  
to Repairing.  
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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CITY SOLICITOR:

MR. EDITOR: Will you please announce the  
undersigned to be a candidate for the office of  
City Solicitor, subject to the will of the voters  
at the coming Spring election?

CHARLES W. RICHARDS.

MR. EDITOR: Please announce that I will be  
a candidate for re-election to the office of City  
Solicitor, at the coming April election.

J. C. BRENNAN.

CITY CIVIL ENGINEER:

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce my name  
for the office of City Civil Engineer, subject to  
the vote of the people at the April election.

W. P. MASON.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce my name as a candidate  
for re-election to the office of City Engineer.

E. FRANK GATES.

COUNCILMAN.

EDITOR LEADER:—Kindly announce through  
your columns the fact that Mr. Philip B.  
Peters, the present efficient member of Coun-  
cil from the Fourth Ward, will be a candidate  
for re-election. APPRECIATIVE VOTERS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Will you announce in your  
paper my name for the office of Councilman  
for the Fourth Ward? DR. J. C. HARDY.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce the name  
of Frank Weber as a candidate for re-election  
to Council from the Second Ward.

MANY TAXPAYERS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Will you state through  
your columns that B. F. Wood will be a candi-  
date for the office of Councilman from the  
Second Ward, subject to the will of the voters  
at the coming April Election.

TAX PAYERS.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

EDITOR LEADER:—Will you announce the  
name of B. E. Guyton for the office of Justice  
of the Peace, and oblige

MANY FRIENDS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce my  
name as a candidate for the office of Justice  
of the Peace in Marietta township, and oblige

MILLEN H. HAIR.

MAYOR.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce my name  
as a candidate for Mayor of the city of Mari-  
etta at the coming spring election, subject to  
the will of the voters.

H. F. KRAFT.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce in your  
columns that Mayor Jewett Palmer will be a  
candidate for re-election at the next munici-  
pal election.

VOTERS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please say in your paper  
that I am a candidate for the office of Mayor  
of the City of Marietta, subject to the will of  
the voters at the April Election.

EDW. MEISENHOLDER.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce the  
name of Charles H. Newton as a candidate  
for Township Clerk of Marietta Township,  
subject to the decision of the voters at the  
April election.

HIS FRIENDS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce the  
name of J. W. Sturgiss as a candidate for the  
office of Clerk of Marietta Township, and oblige

MANY FRIENDS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Will you announce the  
name of the undersigned as a candidate for  
the office of Trustee of Marietta Township,  
subject to the will of the voters at the April  
Election.

JOHN T. BELL.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce the  
name of William Harsha as a candidate for  
Township Trustee at the Spring election.

MANY VOTERS.

FOR SHERIFF.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please announce the  
name of George A. Shapley, of Grandview, as  
a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to  
the will of Convention.

HIS FRIENDS.

EDITOR LEADER:—Please state in the Leader  
that Christopher J. Pfaff, of Adams township,  
will be a candidate before the county conven-  
tion for the office of Sheriff.

VOTERS.

EDITOR LEADER:

Will you kindly announce that Mrs. Helen  
Morgan, Fifth Street, will be a candidate for  
member of Board of Education, Marietta, sub-  
ject to the will of the voters at the coming  
election.

VOTERS OF THE CITY.

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Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetters, Chapped  
Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin  
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give perfect satisfaction, or money re-  
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ing next week, the week after and  
also during the following week we will  
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worth \$4.50 and \$5.00, for \$4.50 and \$5.00; also better  
ones, worth \$6.00 and \$7.00, for \$6.00 and \$7.00, and for \$8.00,  
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and fancy Cheviots, Cassimeres and Worsteds in all the different  
weaves for \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12. Please compare the material,  
trimming, make and fit of any of these with any of those sold "for  
one day only" at 1/2 off. If ours are not better for the price kindly tell  
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missing. Why not inspect these stylish fabrics  
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ly occupied by the Citizens National Bank, will be open for busi-  
ness Saturday Morning, March 28th. The public is invited to call,  
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